



City of Gaithersburg Press Release

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Learn How to “Green Up Your Garden” with Virtual “Green Cocktails” Event

Gaithersburg, MD (March 11, 2021) In partnership with One Montgomery Green and Gaithersburg Green Drinks, the Community Museum hosts “Greening Up Your Garden,” another Facebook Live session in the [Green Cocktails](#) series. Just in time for Green Month, the session takes place on Friday, April 9 at 7 p.m. on the [Community Museum Facebook page](#). The discussion is appropriate for all ages, while the cocktail recipes are suitable for those 21 and older.

Join Lauren Hubbard, owner of Native by Design, as she talks about simple changes you can make so your yard and garden will be more sustainable. Enjoy a homemade cocktail with a recipe provided by two local distilleries, Dragon Distillery, LLC and Butterfly Spirits. RSVP to the Facebook Event [here](#).

Lauren works with property owners and organizations, providing sustainable landscaping services, including design, coaching, small scale installation, native plant sourcing, and project management. She is on the board of the Maryland Native Plant Society where she focuses her effort on habitat protection and the preservation of genetic diversity in our native plant populations.

The City invites you to participate in activities that celebrate and improve the environment during Green Month each April. This year, in-person and virtual events will include a self-guided tree walk, an informational film about food waste, discussions about water quality and recycling, community clean up opportunities, and even a story telling celebrating the wonderful world of frogs. Details will be available on the [Green Month webpage](#) soon.

The Community Museum is now welcoming visitors by appointment only with one individual or family unit allowed inside at a time. Face masks are required at all times for guests over the age of two, and social distancing will be enforced. To schedule an appointment, call 301-258-6160 or e-mail museum@gaithersburgmd.gov. Please be prepared to share the number guests in your party.

Located in the restored 1884 B&O Railroad Station complex near the intersection of Summit and Diamond Avenues in Olde Towne, the Gaithersburg Community Museum features educational exhibits and programs designed to spark interest and imagination about our City's history. Learn more [here](#).

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